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SPEECH OF SENATOR DUBOIS

Delivered in Christ Church, Alexandria, February 22, 1906, on the 174th Anniversary of the Birth of George Washington.

At the memorial and patriotic services held at Christ Church yesterday under the auspices of Mt. Vernon Chapter, D. A. R., addresses were delivered by Rev. R. H. McKim, of Washington, and Senator F. T. Dubois, of Idaho. The addresses were eloquent, interesting and instructive and were greatly enjoyed by all present.

The rector of the church, Rev. W. J. Morton, announced that the Bible from which the lesson was read and the prayer book used in the service today were the identical ones used in the service during the colonial days, when Gen. Washington worshiped there.

Rev. Randolph Harrison McKim, a former rector of the church, but at present of Epiphany Church in Washington, was the first speaker. He said that he was not present to speak of Washington, as the iron soldier, the skilled strategist, the incorruptible patriot or the wise statesman, but as a Christian man who, all through his life, threw the weight of his influence into the scales for religion.

Among other things Rev. Mr. McKim said that when orators all over the land were praising Washington as the soldier and the patriot, the church could come forward and speak of him as a true servant of the living God. He portrayed Washington as a Christian, his firm stand against the tidal wave of infidelity which was spreading over the country in his time and his exertions toward suppressing gambling and swearing in the continental army.

The following is the full text of Senator Dubois's address:

Reverend Sir, Ladies and Gentlemen: It is very fitting that we should turn aside from the ordinary pursuits of our busy lives to do honor at recurring intervals to the works and memory of those who have founded and helped maintain our republic. It is well that as the years go by more attention is given to the remembrance of the mighty achievements of Jefferson, Jackson, Lincoln and, first of all, Washington. It is well that the lessons of their lives should be taught to American citizens everywhere throughout the length and breadth of our land. This hallowed place where Washington attended divine service, this old Christ Church, known and revered throughout the world, cannot but inspire one with a deeper interest in all which pertains to the life and character of our first President. A knowledge of the life of Washington keeps the fire of patriotism burning brightly and a familiarity with the incidents connected with the early struggles of our forefathers for liberty and a republican form of government, leads us imperceptibly towards higher ideals and a firmer determination to keep and make the government of our day worthy of its beginning.

I gladly pay tribute to the Daughters of the American Revolution, who are today throughout the United States following the example of the Mt. Vernon Chapter in fittingly commemorating and calling attention to the patriotic services of the Father of our Country. While he is being eulogized in almost every city of the United States, there is no spot so closely connected with the personal life of Washington as Alexandria and this edifice. The people of the United States, now living, have a direct interest in Mount Vernon and in this church. There has not been much change since Christ Church was completed in 1765, at which time George Washington was made one of the first vestrymen and was the first pew holder. Owing to the constant and arduous efforts of the patriotic women of this nation, this locality and Mount Vernon have become soil and the mecca to which hundreds of thousands of people journey every year. Every pilgrim to these shrines is inspired with loftier conceptions of his duty to his country. He appreciates more the legacy bequeathed him, and solemnly resolves to be worthy of citizenship in this glorious republic, to establish which its founders endured so many privations.

The description of Washington which was given him by his contemporaries and which has been handed down to us: "First in war, first in peace and first in the hearts of his countrymen," is literally correct. The more closely you study his character, the more impressed you are with the fact that he was the real and the deserving, as he was the the acknowledged leader of the great men of his time. He was surrounded by men of surpassing ability, a great many of whom he was inferior to intellectually. Most of these great men were superior to him in individual traits of character, yet in a combination of qualities which go to make greatness, he was easily the superior of all. When you recall his associates, among whom were Thomas Jefferson, Alexander Hamilton, James Madison, Samuel Adams, James Monroe, John Hancock, John Adams Patrick Henry, Benjamin Franklin, Edmund Randolph, Gouverneur Morris, Richard Henry Lee, and many others, whose images crowd into your memory, you cannot but wonder that each and all of these greatest of men, not only acknowledged his supremacy, but demanded his leadership. Washington was not ambitous as compared with his associates, Hamilton, Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, John Adams and with those other great men who have adorned our history, like Jackson, Lincoln and Grant. He was reluctant to accept the presidency the first time, and much more so the second time, greatly preferring the quiet of Mount Vernon.

In reading the debates which attended the drafting of our constitution, I am constrained to believe, that unless the patriots of that day had succeeded in inducing George Washington to preside over the deliberations of the constitutional convention this immortal document never would have been framed. He had no ambition to accept this position and tried to avoid the responsibility of it. He scarcely participated in the debates, but at times when it seemed almost certain that an agreement could not be reached over some mooted question of principle, his wise counsel, his power over his colleagues, and their perfect faith in his disinterestedness and patriotism adjusted the difficulty and brought about a compromise. My reading of the events of those days constrains me to believe still further that had it not been for this tremendous power which Washington exercised over the people and the leaders, the constitution would not have been adopted by the States when it was submitted to them. All of these great men through faith in the intangible, unexplainable something in the character of Washington yielded their convictions to his judgment.

Washington was very human, and his friends were devotedly attached to him. He must have been very true to every one. He was thoughtful and considerate always of others, and it is interesting to read his private correspondence to friends and relatives, as these letters give an insight to his character.

He was a voluminous correspondent, and many of his private letters have been published. These letters give us in addition opportunities for contrasting the conditions of the first days of the republic with those of our time. Washington as President was beset with the perplexities and annoyances which are the accompaniment now of our chief executive. Even in the first days of the republic, citizens were not loath to hold office, and then as now the man more frequently sought the office than the office the man. In a letter to Joseph Jones, written on November 30th, 1789, Washington wrote:

"In every nomination to office I have endeavored, as far as my own knowledge extended, or information could be obtained, to make fitness of character my primary object. If with this the peculiar necessities of the candidate could be combined, it has been with me an additional inducement to the appointment."

In a letter to Catharine Macaulay Graham, written January 9, 1790, Washington gave his opinion of the new government in these words:

"That the government, though not actually perfect, is one of the best in the world, I have little doubt. I always believed that an unequivocally free and equal representation of the people in the legislature, together with an efficient and responsible Executive, was the great pillar on which the preservation of American freedom must depend."

While public receptions which our first President gave were not so frequent nor so largely attended as they are at present, yet even then they were somewhat irksome. It was complained of Washington that because he did not receive the people more often, and with less ceremony, that he was filled with pride. Washington referred to this in quite a long letter to his friend, David Stewart, on June 15, 1790. It may be interesting by way of comparison of the then and now, to quote from this letter. He said:

"In a letter of last year, to the best of my recollection, I informed you of the motives which compelled me to allot a day for the reception of idle and ceremonious visits (for it never has prevented those of sociability and friendship in the afternoon or at any other time); but if I am mistaken in this, the history of this business is simply and shortly as follows: Before the custom was established, which now accommodates foreign characters, strangers, and others, who, from motives of curiosity, respect to the chief magistrate, or any other cause, are induced to call upon me, I was unable to attend to any business whatsoever; for gentlemen, consulting their own convenience rather than mine, were calling from the time I rose from breakfast, often before, until I sat down to dinner. This, as I resolved not to neglect my public duties, reduced me to the choice of one of these alternatives, either to refuse them altogether, or to appropriate a time for the reception of them. The former would, I well knew, be digusting to many; the latter, I expect, would undergo animadversion and blazoning from those who would find fault, with or without cause. To please everybody was impossible. I therefore adopted that line of conduct which combined public advantage with private convenience, and which in my judgment was unexceptionable in itself. That I have not been able to make bows to the taste of Colonel B. (who, by the by, I believe never saw one of them) is to be regretted, especially too, as upon those occasions, they were indiscriminately bestowed, and the best I was master of. Would it not have been better to throw the veil of charity over them, ascribing their stiffness to the effects of age, or to the unskilfulness of my teacher, rather than to pride and dignity of office, which God knows has no charms for me? For I can truly say, I had rather be at Mount Vernon with a friend or two about me, than to be attended at the seat of government by the officers of State and representatives of every power in Europe.

"These visits are optional. They are made without invitation. Between the hours of three and four every Tuesday I am prepared to receive them. Gentlemen, often in great numbers, come and go, chat with each other, and act as they please. A porter shows them into the room, and they retire from it when they please, and without ceremony. At their first entrance, they salute me, and I them, and as many as I can talk to, I do. What pomp there is in this, I am unable to discover. Perhaps it consists in not sitting. To this, two reasons are opposed: First, it is unusual; secondly, which is a more substantial one, because I have no room large enough to contain a third of the chairs which would be sufficient to admit it. If it is supposed that ostentation, or the fashions of courts (which, by the by, I believe originate oftener in convenience, not to say necessity, than is generally imagined) gave rise to this custom, I will boldly affirm that no supposition was ever more erroneous; for, if I were to give indulgence to my inclinations, every moment that I could withdraw from the fatigue of my station should be spent in retirement. That it is not, proceeds from the sense I entertain of the propriety of giving to every one as free access as consists with that respect which is due to the chair of government; and that respect, I concesve, is neither to be acquired nor preserved but by observing a just medium between much state and too great familiarity."

Washington's farewell address to the people of the United States, delivered in September, 1796, which is being read in the Capitol in Washington today, was a fitting climax to his wonderful public career. It should be read and re-read on as many occasions as possible. It is as applicable today as when delivered. He warns us in that address against many dangers which he foresaw. In the most solemn manner he cautions succeeding generations against the baneful effects of the spirit of party. In these days when there is so much talk of our becoming a world power the words of Washington in this last address should be carefully studied. In it he said:

"The great rule of conduct for us, in regard to foreign nations, is, in extending our commercial relations, to have with them as little political connection as possible.

"'Tis our true policy to steer clear of permanent alliances with any portion of the foreign world."

It seems as though Washington was ordained and set apart by a higher power to perform the great mission which gave to the world a government, which became at once and still remains the beacon light, the hope, the inspiration for all the peoples of the world who are struggling for liberty and for freedom of thought and conscience. In no other way can you satisfactorily account for the fact that he was the trusted guide who led these early patriots, equipped with such wonderful but diversified intellectual powers, through the seemingly insurmountable obstacle which confronted them, until he drew them safely into the possession of a free republic, the like of which the world has never known, and which rests on such stable foundations that time has strengthened rather than weakened our all but divine constitution.

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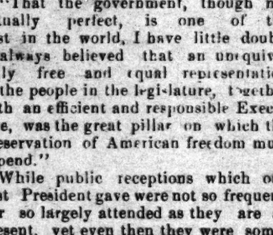

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Ladies' $6.50 Coats now	$4.25
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FRIDAY EVENING. FEB. 23, 1906.

THERE is apparently a wide difference of opinion between the Virginia and Maryland conferees on the joint oyster commission, as to what was actually done in Richmond that week with reference to bringing about uniformity of laws between the two States. Some of the Marylanders are seemingly of opinion that the body decided to close dredging in the Potomac river for a period of two years, but the Virginians do not take this view as a body. While they are divided, the division is even, and four of them claim that the proposition, in accordance with all parliamentary practice, was lost on the tie vote which was had. They will therefore make no report on this question to the Virginia legislature. Delegate George Mason, of Westmoreland, not only takes this view, but on yesterday arose in the House to a question of personal privilege and protested against a report in an afternoon paper, which put the committee in the attitude of having voted to close the river for two years. Senators Walker and Gunter and Mr. Rex are of the same mind and faith, while the other four Virginians, Messrs. Taliaferro, Green, Thornhill and Dickinson, voted in the affirmative, and claim the river is and ought to be closed by the action taken. The Richmond Times-Dispatch says:

Indeed, according to Virginia members, the conference amounted to but little, the only matter upon which there was united action having been to recommond legislation looking to increasing penalties for the violation of existing dredgings. It is true the conference decided to recommend that the Virginia cull laws be made applicable to Maryland, but this will require no action by the Virginia legislature. The Virginia members of the conference do not view with any degree of seriousness, the bill of Senator Brewington, in the Maryland legislature, to stop dredging in the Chesapeake bay for two years, but they rather look upon it as a threat to get them on line for closing the Potomac. The upshot of the whole matter is that the two States are no nearer together on the oyster question today than when they tried for the first time many years ago to adjust it.

This is to be greatly regretted for it had been hoped that the long standing controversy between Maryland and Virginia over the oyster question would be settled this time and for ever.

THERE is no doubt that Congressman Slemp has the President hypnotized, so far as Virginia patronage is concerned. Notwithstanding the fiasco Col. Slemp made of his promise to the President to carry Virginia in last fall's election, the latter has been made to believe that the defeat was in fact a victory and turns down one after another old and tried republican to make places for Colonel Slemp's supporters. The displacement of Mr. Yost, as postmaster at Staunton, and the appointment of Mr. Thomas as postmaster at Abingdon are the latest proofs of this assertion. Mr. Thomas served as assistant secretary to Republican State Chairman C. B. Slemp during the last Virginia campaign, and had the indorsement of Congressman Slemp and Collector Summers for the position of postmaster at Abingdon. The appointment was delayed somewhat by the earnest fight which Miss Rosa Rose, the incumbent, made to be reappointed. She was indorsed by many of the leading business men of Abingdon and the surrounding country and had made an excellent postmaster. There was no reason why she should be ousted except to make room for a faithful lieutenant of Congressman Slemp.

ANOTHER miners' strike seems inevitable, notwithstanding the recent hopeful utterances said to have emanated from the operators and operatives. The relations between the labor leaders and mine owers are strained, and, so far as can be seen, there is no likelihood of an amicable adjustment of the issues at stake. Such conditions are to be regretted, as a large percentage of the country will be the victims in the event of a strike. Coal is a necessity. Its scarcity affects the inmates of every house, many of whom are in no condition to pay high prices for anything. The operators, anticipating a strike, have amassed enormous banks of coal at different points. Prices in the event of a cessation of mining, will steadily advance until coal will eventually become a luxury beyond the reach of any but the opulent. The earth has been stored with fuel for the use of man, and it seems hard that any set of men—be they operators or labor leaders—should assume to close mines at their own sweet will and thus deprive their fellow-beings of necessities provided for man by the Creator himself.

Eighteen girls were yesterday injured during a panic, in which 75 fell with a platform while rehearsing their parts in a human flag in the Hanover (Pa.,) Opera House.

John Stanton, one of the best known copper authorities in this country, died this morning at his home in New York.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, Feb. 23.

The democratic members of the Senate committee on interstate commerce this morning, in a conference at which several other democratic Senators were present, decided that they would vote as a unit on a resolution for the report of the railroad rate bill as it passed the House without committing any member of the committee to its support, or against it. The idea of the democrats is that it is a waste of time to consider the bill further in the committee in view of the well demonstrated fact that the real legislation will have to be framed on the floor of the Senate.

Senator Knox's bill for the regulation of interstate commerce, which he introduced yesterday as a solution of the railroad rate problem, is not, it is said, an administration measure as many believe, and does not represent the views of President Roosevelt. Instead of voicing the President's sentiments, Mr. Knox's bill stands for a course of procedure that the President has "turned down." It is understood that the reason Senator Knox introduced his bill is found in the fact that the President refused to accept the amendment to the Hepburn bill which he brought to the White House a few days ago. Had the President agreed to the amendment in question Mr. Knox would not have offered the bill in the Senate yesterday. It is understood that Mr. Knox left the White House in a very warm frame of mind, declaring that rather than allow his amendment to be edited, as the President is said to have suggested, he asserted that he'd father none at all. But as he was anxious to make public his views on the great question he decided to incorporate them in a bill which he know would have slim chance of getting through. It is said that the introduction of Mr. Knox's bill was as much of a surprise to the President as it was to the members of the Senate.

The crucial period in the consideration of the railroad rate legislation by the Senate Interstate Commerce Commission was reached this morning. According to agreement the committee met at 10:30 to begin the final work of perfecting the measure which it will report to the Senate. The bill which is under consideration is the Hepburn bill as it came from the House. There are more than a hundred amendments pending, all of which are to be voted upon today if it is a physical possibility to do so. The desire is to complete the bill this week so that it may be reported to the Senate when it meets again Monday morning. Senators Elkins, Aldrich, Kean, Foraker and Crane, members of the committee, have agreed to abandon the propositions they have submitted and to accept the plan proposed by Senator Knox in his bill introduced yesterday which provides for full review by the courts. The President's view that a rate fixed by the commission shall remain in effect during the judicial proceedings is supported by Senators Dolliver and Clapp. Senator Cullom, who is absent, also agrees with this position. The democrats of the committee occupy a middle ground. They have agreed to support an amendment for judicial review but insist that the rate of the commission must remain in effect pending the court's decision.

During the discussion in the committee this morning Senator Dolliver produced a letter from Senator Cullom asking him to record his vote for the Hepburn bill as it passed the House without amendment. Senator Dolliver thereupon moved that a vote should be taken at once on the question of reporting the Hepburn bill without amendment and with a favorable recommendation. This being in opposition to the agreement which the democrats had reached among themselves, to vote to report the bill without any recommendation at all, a recess was taken to enable the democrats to have another conference. The committee will meet again at two o'clock. The democrats in the meantime are conferring in Senator Tillman's room.

The reason for the democratic contention that the bill should be reported without any recommendation was developed in the committee. It appears that Senator Foster and Carmack favor the incorporation of a provision for judicial review. The democrats being thus divided, they concluded the best way would be to vote to report the bill without committing any body to its support.

The Senate committee on interstate commerce this afternoon decided to report favorable to the Senate the Hepburn bill as it came from the House, without amendment, reserving the right of members of the committee to offer amendments on the floor of the Senate. The vote stood 8 to 5.

Rear Admiral Asa Walker has been selected by the Navy Department to act as superintendent of the naval observatory here upon the retirement of Rear Admiral Colby M. Chester, February 28.

The House committee on the judiciary today considered the recommendations pertinent to federal control of insurance in the president's message, but came to no conclusion. The committee, on March 7, will vote on the pending bills providing for the exclusion of liquor from prohibition States.

In addressing the National Association of Mexican War Veterans today Judge Advocate General George P. Davis said that he believed the government should bring back to the states the bodies of soldiers who lost their lives in the Mexican war. All the officers were re-elected, with Louis F. Beeler, of Baltimore, as president.

Fifty-ninth Congress.

Washington, Feb. 23.

SENATE.

The Senate was not in session today having adjourned yesterday until Monday.

HOUSE.

Immediately after the reading of the journal Mr. Townsend, of Michigan, asked for unanimous consent for the consideration of the Tillman resolution, as amended by the House committee on interstate and foreign commerce, so as to provide for an investigation of railroad monopolies in coal and oil. "This resolution is believed to be a result of the conviction of the public that the railways are inflicting a wrong on the American people," Mr. Townsend began. He explained the provisions of the resolution at length; citing the features of the Gillespie, Campbell and Senator Tillman resolutions embodied in the one now before the House. The investigation, he promised, would be prompt, speedy and effective, outlining the evils which are just now the subject of such bitter popular complaint.

The House at one o'clock, without a dissenting vote, passed the Tillman joint resolution as amended.

The Market.

Georgetown, Feb. 23.—Wheat 68.a82

News of the Day.

A force of religious fanatics in British West Africa recently destroyed a French post near the frontier and killed five French officers.

St. Viatur's College, a Roman Catholic institution, at Bourbonnais, Ill., was burned yesterday. Loss, $175,000; insurance, $100,000.

Maj. Putnam Bradlee Strong, of New-York, was arrested in Shanghai, China, recently. The charge, it is believed, is one of obtaining goods by means of false pretenses.

Astounding figures are on record in the tax departments of Baltimore and the State of Maryland showing the insignificant price the Pennsylvania Railroad Company pays for its vast privileges compared with the enormous profits it derives from its business in that city.

The indications now are that there will be strikes of both the hard and the soft coal miners April 1. President Mitchell and the committee of anthracite miners have completed the formulation of their demands as to time and wages for presentation to the operators' committee.

A bust of Dr. William Osler was unveiled, amid much enthusiasm, at the Johns Hopkins University anniversary celebration, at Baltimore yesterday. Addresses were made by Secretary of the Navy Bonaparte and Dr. L. F. Barker, of the faculty. President Remsen presided over the exercises.

Prince Strongoli, 19 years old, who was to have been married in a few hours to a daughter of the Duke of Corigliano, committed suicide at Naples, yesterday. The boy left a letter to his father saying he killed himself because he was skeptical about life, and another letter to his fiancee saying she would have been unhappy with him.

James Mulligan, of Loga, Wis., narrowly escaped being buried alive yesterday. The funeral procession was on its way to the church, when the driver of the hearse heard groans from within, followed by smashing of glass. The casket was opened, and Mulligan, fully restored to consciousness, sat up and inquired where he was. He had been in a trance for three days.

Secretary of War Taft delivered an address in Chicago yesterday in which he expressed the belief that the standing army should be 100,000 strong and that an efficient reserve should be organized. He said: "In this republic we need an army for three purposes: First, as an essential to any satisfactory system of national defense; second, as an indispensible instrument in carrying out our established international policy; third, which I may say is the least important function, the suppression of insurrection and civil strife."

Lillian Thornman, aged thirteen, attempted to burn to death the three-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dorsey, of York, Pa., yesterday. While the mother was absent from the house, the girl placed the child on a red-hot stove, with its face downward. The screams of the little one brought an aunt to its rescue and saved it from an excruciating death. The Thornman girl was arrested and committed to jail. When asked why she burned the child, she said: "It was because I had the devil in me." The girl confessed to having burned three other children in a similar manner.

While a Chicago stock company was playing at the theater at Linton, Ind., last night, Miss Pearl Elvin, a member of the troupe, made several slighting remarks about the town, which some of the audience applauded and others hissed. A man in the rear of the house rose with an oath, drew a revolver and, aiming it at the actress, fired. The bullet struck Miss Elvin in the leg and she fell to the floor. In an instant the house was in an uproar. The person who did the shooting managed to escape from the theater and to conceal his identity. Miss Elvin's wound is not serious, the ball having penetrated the fleshy part of her calf.

Phillip Browne Brooks, a negro physician of Washington, was arrested last night for investigation in connection with the robbery of his own home at 318 Third street, southwest. His wife, who was choked and partly chloroformed by the supposed robber, told the police she believed her husband tried to kill her so he could marry a white woman. Edna Russell, twenty-eight years old, was also arrested and is held for investigation. Brooks's wife is considerably older than he is, and is wealthy. She declared that her husband had beaten her numerous times, and that she was recently confined in a hospital suffering from a broken rib at his hands. She said she had been advised by friends not to take any of his prescriptions.

Naval officers are said to fear that the towing of the Dewey to the Philippines will be far more difficult and expensive than they had expected.

The German Reichstag yesterday passed the first and second readings of the bill extending reciprocal tariff rates to the United States until June 30, 1907.

Virginia News.

Governor Stokes and the Jamestown commission of New Jersey yesterday visited the exposition grounds.

Judge R. T. W. Duke has resigned as a member of the Charlottesville City Council, of which body he was president.

While making an argument in the Ruffner murder case at Luray yesterday Capt. R. S. Parks suddenly collapsed and had to be removed from the court room.

Washington's birthday was celebrated throughout Virginia. Among the interesting events was an address at the University of Virginia by St. Clair McKelway.

A fire yesterday afternoon at the grounds of the Albemarle Horse Show Association, near Charlottesville, destroyed sixty-odd box stalls and a considerable portion of the fencing, entailing a loss of about $1,500.

An attempt was made Wednesday night by unknown persons after adjournment of court to blow up Floyd courthouse with dynamite. The charge was set off at the rear of the building and within forty feet of the county jail. The explosion tore a hole about three feet wide in the wall just behind the judge's seat. Judge Moffett had just granted bail to Fred Hoback, who secured a new trial through the Supreme Court for the killing of John L. Jett, a hotel keeper, more than a year ago. He was sentenced to eight years in the State penitentiary, but the verdict of the lower court was set aside. Hoback's friends think the dynamite was intended for him, and much bitter feeling has been aroused.

THE LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.

The Senate yesterday, without dissent, passed the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac merger bills. They authorize a new charter for this road, the sale of the State's interests in the road and permission to merge with other lines. The objection to one of the original bills was obviated by changing it so that the law would apply only to roads in which the State owned an interest and as the State owns no interest in other road, it applied only to the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac, and did not become a general law, as at first intended, as soon as the members were satisfied that the State's interests were safeguarded and that the new law would cause no complications with other roads, all opposition faded. The bills now go to the House for consideration.

A contest occurred over the creation of a new judicial circuit of Rappahannock, Fauquier and Loudoun, relieving the pressure on the Alexandria circuit. The bill passed in the face of the bitter opposition of the Senator from Fauquier and Loudoun, Maj. Lynn. The bill also provides for two other new circuits, the Twenty-fifth, composed of Rockingham, Madison and Green, and the Twenty-seventh, comprising Scott, Buchanan and Russell counties. The Rappahannock, Fauquier and Loudoun circuit is known at the Twenty-sixth.

The Holt-Sale congressional redistricting bill passed the Senate with the House amendment removing Surry county from the Second to the Fourth district, and the long-desired political divorce of the cities of Norfolk and Newport News is an accomplished fact. The St. Clair amendment, adding five counties of the Ninth district to the Sixth, was rejected.

The appropriation bill, which passed the House Wednesday, was introduced and referred to the finance committee. The largest number of Mann bill petitions yet presented came in a shower to the clerk's desk yesterday.

The committee on general laws reported, with amendments, the Sale bill providing for the establishment of a bureau of insurance for the enforcement of all insurance laws, and the supervision and inspection of all guaranty, trust, indemnity, fidelity and security companies and insurance associations of every character, including fraternal and benevolent societies and other organizations, foreign and local. The bureau is to be a part part of and subject to the State Corporation Commission, which is required to assign suitable offices to the chief officer who will be designated the commissioner of insurance.

Senator Keezell introduced a bill to prohibit the entering into any unlawful agreement, combination or understanding on tho part of contractors with the State. It is known that the uniformity of bids for the State printing attracted attention at the time the bids were opened and it is believed that Senator Keezell's bill is the outcome.

HOUSE.

The feature of the House session was a bill offered by Mr. Pettit to banish corporation attorneys from the legislature. The bill is an amendment to the constitution providing that no one employed at a salary or retained as attorney by any corporation shall be eligible to election to either house.

The Caton insurance bill, which was the regular order for 12:30 o'clock, was passed by because of the absence of its patron.

The bill offered by Mr. Gregory, turning the college of William and Mary over to the State, was engrossed, and that of Mr. Gill, prohibiting the holding of an election within fifty feet of a barroom, was passed by the House.

There will be no extra session of the legislature, and with only about 50, out of 1,700 bills that were introduced having become laws, the members are addressing themselves to finishing up the colossal task before them in the 14 working days that are left of the session.

The depleted condition of the Virginia fisheries, to which attention was largely attracted by Delegate Gaines's resolution calling for an inquiry, will be investigated, but not by the legislature, which already is overburdened with investigations. His resolution was reported from the committee yesterday with an amendment which authorizes the new State Board of Fisheries to make the investigation. Senator Walker's bill to prohibit nonresidents from ownership in Virginia fisheries and Delegate Rew's oyster bill were also favorably reported.

Speaker Cardwell named Messrs. Byrd, Early and Johnston on the joint committee to investigate the Corporation Commission matters. The committee met yesterday afternoon and elected R. E. Byrd chairman. The witnesses to be summoned are the three members of the Corporation Commission then in office and the three clerks—Messrs. Lanier, Newby and Tyler—who were dismissed. Much of the evidence is documentary and will be read to the committee.

The name of Major James D. Patton was sent to the Senate as a member of the penitentiary board, to succeed Robert L. Winston, whose term expires at the close of this month.

Dr. J. M. Cochran, member of the Senate, who was stricken with conjestive apoplexy Wednesday, is resting easily at the Memorial Hospital. Members of his family have arrived.

Mr. Byrd's bill to revoke the charter of the Virginia Corporation Company was consider at length by the general laws committee of the House yesterday but definite action was not taken.

CONGRESSIONAL.

The Senate yesterday passed the bill, drawn under the supervision of Secretary of the Navy Bonaparte, to provide for the suitable punishment of hazing at the Naval Academy and to grant the Secretary of the Navy authority, in his discretion, to dismiss midshipmen whose continued presence at that institution he may deem contrary to the best interests of the service.

Senator Knox introduced a new railway rate bill embracing a provision for review by the courts.

The Senate passed the bill authorizing the purchase of coal lands in the Island of Batan, Philippine Islands.

The Senate adjourned until Monday.

Representative Price, of Illinois, in the House severely attacked the practice of promoting officers to high grades so as to draw increased pay upon immediate retirement. A resolution was introduced in the House putting oil pipe lines under the classification of common carriers. Mr. Gilbert, of Kentucky, attacked the ship-subsidy bill that recently passed the Senate; Gen. Grosvenor replied briefly to Mr. Gilbert and others and was received with applause. In accordance with his annual custom, Minority Leader Williams sought to have the House either listen to the reading of Washington's Farewell Address or adjourn in honor of the day. He was unsuccessful in both attempts.

Today's Telegraphic News

From Richmond.

[Special Dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.]

Richmond, Feb. 23.—Dr. J. H. Cochran, Delegate from Fauquier county, is in a dying condition and will probably not live throughout the day.

The House is considering the Torrens bill as the special order and will defeat it almost certainly when the debate is over.

Hoch, the Wife Murderer, Hanged.

Chicago, Feb. 23.—Hoch, the convicted wife-murderer, was to have been hanged at 10:30 o'clock this morning, but the execution was postponed for an hour in order to allow the condemned man's counsel an opportunity to file a petition in the United States Court a petition asking interference on the ground that the proposed execution would violate the fourteenth amendment. Judge Landis denied the writ, and when the news was conveyed to Hoch he said: "I will not go to the gallows. I will resist with physical force all efforts to take my life."

Just as preparations for reading the death warrant were completed, Attorney Comerford appeared on the scene waving an appeal bond duly signed and demanding a further stay of execution. The appeal was from the decision of Judge Landis denying a writ of habeas corpus. The wardens found themselves in such a quandary that they sent for State's Attorney Healy and his assistants. In the meantime things were in abeyance. Hoch then eat a big dinner in an unconcerned manner, and enjoyed every morsel as though he expected to eat many meals.

It was finally decided by the authorities to proceed with the execution, and Hoch was conducted to the gallows. He made a speech on the gallows saying: "I want to say something. Lord forgive them for they know not what they do. I die an innocent man. Good bye." The trap was sprung at 1:34½ p. m.

The President and the Algeciras Conference.

Algeciras, Spain, Feb. 23.—It is reported this afternoon that President Roosevelt has begun to take a hand actively in the Moroccan dispute with a view to straightening out the international tangle. The President, it is stated, is in communication with the Kaiser through Baron von Sternburg, the German Ambassador at Washington, and has urged the German ruler to have Germany recede from her present position and modify her demands, so as to meet France half way.

Demands of the Miners

New York, Feb., 23.—The demands of the mine workers will be presented to the anthracite operators either this afternoon or tomorrow, if the present plans of the miners' committee of seven are carried out. The demands consisted in the main of union recognition, an eight-hour day, a reconstruction of the board of conciliation, and an increase in wages amounting to practically 10 per cent. in all the anthracite districts. A strike in the soft coal on April 1st seems inevitable.

Torpedo Boat in Distress.

Portsmouth, Va. Feb. 23.—The United States torpedo boat Winslow, from New York to the Norfolk torpedo srtion, is reported in distress ten miles southeast of Cape Henry. The weather is clear and moderate, but details are lacking.

Alfonso Desired to Make Present.

Madrid, Feb. 23.—It has just transpired that King Alfonso has ordered from the court jeweler as a wedding present to Miss Alice Roosevelt a richly jeweled bracelet, bearing the motto "Without Rancor." Alfonso showed the bracelet to his mother, who tried to influence the king to change his mind and not to send it. King Alfonso insisted, however, until Premier Moret forcibly interfered and told the king that the present might be interpreted an inopportune act, and that the government was unable to assume any responsibility in the matter. Alfonso then desisted, after telling Premier Moret that he was missing an opportunity of proving to America that the Spaniards are as gallant friends as they are noble enemies.

German Tariff Concessions.

Berlin, Feb. 23.—The Reichstag today passed on third reading the government bill extending to the United States the tariff concessions on imports until June, 1907, under the temporary arrangement proposed by Chancellor von Buelow. The measure was passed by a majority of 275. As the bill had already received the assent of the Federal Council it is now safely through both houses and will receive the imperial approval immediately. The act will become operative on March 1st.

Bill for Universal Suffrage.

Vienna, Austria, Feb. 23.—The expected bill granting universal suffrage was introduced into the Austrian Parliament today by the premier. Under the bill all citizens over 24 years of age will be given a vote. The number of deputies is increased from 425 to 455. For the first time the Slavs will have a majority over the Germans and other races combined. A bill giving the President the right to eject unruly deputies from the chamber was also introduced.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Feb. 23.—London practically made the tone of the stock market during the first hour. Arbitrage brokers bought about 25,000 shares. To a great extent the market was confined to room traders' operations. Traders were disposed to ignore the possibility of a coal strike as a market factor.

Do not be deceived by counterfeits when you buy Witch Hazel Salve. The name of E. C. DeWitt & Co. is on every box of the genuine. Best for Cuts, Burns, Boils, Tetter, Piles, etc.

A detachment of 50 sailors from the American cruiser squadron now at Naples, arrived in Rome yesterday accompanied by their officers. The Americans were received by the Pope yesterday afternoon. He presented each visitor with a medal. The Pope then blessed all the Americans and their families and the religious objects which the sailors had with them. Before leaving, the Pontiff shook hands with the American officers and the sailors gave thee hearty cheers for the Pope.

Galveston's Sea Wall

makes life now as safe in that city as on the higher upland. E. W. Goodloe, who resides on Dutton St., in Waco, Tex., needs no sea wall for safety. He writes: "I have used Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption the past five years and it keeps me well and safe. Before that time I had a cough which for years had been growing worse. Now it's gone." Cures chronic Coughs, La Grippe, Croup, Whooping Cough and prevents Pneumonia. Pleasant to take. Every bottle guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

Suffering from morphine poisoning Oscar Ball, 66 years old, a lodger at 76 Lawrence street, was found in a dying condition in his room yesterday, and expired at the Boston City Hospital. Ball is said to be a former postmaster of Fremont, Ohio.

Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer.

Fewer gallons; takes less of Devoe Lead and Zinc than mixed paints. Wears longer; twice as long as lead and oil.

The steamer Duke, bound from Dublin to Manchester with a large cargo of live stock on board, put in Holyhead, Wales, today on fire. Heroic efforts were made to rescue the stock, but many of the helpless animals were burned to death amid scenes of the wildest disorder caused by the stampede of the maddened animals.

A story is published in Boise, Idaho, to the effect that a letter written at the headquarters of the Western Federation of Miners, in Denver, was the foundation upon which the detectives worked to secure evidence against the prisoners now charged with the murder of former Gov. Frank Steunenburg.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies and by constant failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address:

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Wholesale Prices of Produce.

Flour Extra	4 00	a	4 20
Family	4 25	a	4 51
Fancy brands	5 00	a	5 25
Wheat, longberry	0 81	a	0 83
Mixed	0 80	a	0 82
Fultz	0 80	a	0 82
Damp and tough	0 55	a	0 65
Corn, white	0 51	a	0 53
Mixed	0 50	a	0 52
Yellow	0 50	a	0 51
Corn Meal	0 55	a	0 62
Rye	0 50	a	0 50
Oats, mixed, new	0 30	a	0 40
White, new	0 30	a	0 40
Elgin Print Butter	0 32	a	0 34
Butter, Virginia, packed	0 18	a	0 20
Choice Virginia	0 22	a	0 23
Common to middling	0 14	a	0 16
Eggs	0 17	a	0 18
Live Chickens (hens)	0 12	a	0 13
Potatoes, per bu	0 70	a	0 75
Sweet Potatoes	1 75	a	2 25
Yams	1 25	a	1 50
Onions, per bushel	1 00	a	1 10
Dried Cherries	0 14	a	0 16
Dried Apples	0 03	a	0 04
Apples, per bbl	2 50	a	4 50
Dried Peaches, pealed	0 10½	a	0 14
Pork, per 100 lbs	7 00	a	7 50
Bacon, country hams	0 12	a	0 12½
Best sugar-cured hams	0 12	a	0 12½
Butchers' hams	0 12	a	0 12
Breakfast Bacon	0 11	a	0 11½
Sugar-cured shoulders	0 08½	a	0 08
Bulk shoulders	0 08½	a	0 09
Dry Salt sides	0 08½	a	0 08½
Fat backs	0 07½	a	0 07½
Bellies	0 09	a	0 09½
Smoked shoulders	0 10	a	0 10½
Smoked sides	0 09½	a	0 10½
Veal Calves	0 07	a	0 07½
Lambs	0 08	a	0 08½
Lard	0 08	a	0 09
Smoked Beef	0 18	a	0 18½
Sugars—Brown	3 90	a	4 50
Off A	4 40	a	4 45
Conf. standard	4 50	a	4 55
Granulated	4 55	a	4 70
Coffees—Rio	0 10½	a	0 14
LaGuayra	0 15	a	0 16
Java	0 18	a	0 28
Molasses B. S	0 9	a	0 14
C. B	0 17	a	0 22
New Orleans	0 20	a	0 45
Sugar Syrups	0 16	a	0 28
Porto Rico	0 18	a	0 28
Salt—G. A	0 55	a	0 58
Fine	0 75	a	1 15
Turk's Island	1 00	a	1 00
Wool—long, unwashed	0 28	a	0 29
Washed	0 28	a	0 29
Merino, unwashed	0 28	a	0 29
Do. washed	0 28	a	0 29
Herring, Eastern per bbl	50	a	7 00
Potomac No 1	2 75	a	3 00
Potomac family roe	4 00	a	4 50
Do. half barrel	2 00	a	2 25
Potomac Shad	11 00	a	12 00
Mackerel, small per bbl	13 00	a	14 00
No. 3 medium	13 00	a	13 50
No. 2	15 00	a	16 00
Plaster, ground, per ton	4 50	a	5 00

OPENING AND CLOSING OF MAILS

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Alexandria Gazette

FRIDAY EVENING, FEB. 23, 1906

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:42 a. m. and sets at 5:47 p. m. High water at 8:24 a. m. and 8:44 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair, warmer tonight and Saturday; light to fresh east to south winds.

Echoes of the Parade.

It is generally agreed that yesterday's celebration of George Washington's birthday in Alexandria was one of the most successful within the memory of the oldest inhabitant. There is but one event in the history of the city to compare with it—the sesqui-centennial in 1899. Never on any previous occasion had so many people been seen in Alexandria. It is thought, however, that equally as many visited the city yesterday.

Trains and boats began to bring people here early in the day, and between ten and twelve o'clock there was a sea of humanity on King street. Electric trains, overflowing with passengers were entering the city every few minutes, adding enormously to the floating population, while the ferry steamer Woodbury was literally landing passengers by the thousands.

After the pageant had disbanded the visitors took the electric cars and the boat for their homes. Train followed train, crowded to their fullest capacity, and for over three hours crowded cars were passing out of the city. Toward the close of the day Washingtonians, eager to return home, boarded incoming trains at Payne street and other stations in order to secure seats on the return trips. The cars in many cases were therefore overcrowded before they reached the Royal street station where four or five hundred people were waiting for transportation.

The steamer Woodbury made trips between this city and Washington at 7, 8 and 9 o'clock, which proved to be a great accommodation to the many visitors.

The concert by the Naval Gun Factory Band, at the reviewing stand at the northwest corner of King and Alfred streets, was listened to by a large audience. The band was under the direction of Prof. Moody. The music was entrancing and was greatly enjoyed by who heard it.

The annual observance of the day by Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons was held in the Masonic Temple. Mr. K. Kemper, Grand Master of Masons of Virginia, paid the lodge an official visit.

Clad in genuine buckskin Indian costume the two young sons of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Prosise, of Alexandria county, mounted upon Indian ponies, rode with Osceola Tribe of Red Men in the procession yesterday and attracted much attention.

In the list of those who entertained visitors yesterday during the celebration the name of Mayor Paff was inadvertently omitted.

A number of flags and pieces of bunting used in decorations were stolen from the front of several buildings last night.

The hatchet in the hand of the figure of the Indian in front of Capt. George Young's store on King street was stolen and carried off last night.

Conservative estimates give the number of strangers in the city yesterday at between 12,000 and 15,000.

When the members of the Marine Corps marched off the steamer yesterday they were headed by 35 pieces of the Marine Band.

The executive committee of the celebration association today conferred with the ladies of the Associated Charities and turned over to them 750 sandwiches left over from the entertainments of yesterday.

Notwithstanding the large number of visitors in the city yesterday and the fact that nearly all residents were on the streets, there were but few disorders and they were of a trivial nature. The police force exercised proper diligence and generally stopped disputes or other evidences of trouble before anything serious followed.

The horse ridden by Major Wm. M. Smith, chief marshal of the parade, fell on Lee street, in front of the First National Bank, shortly before the formation of the procession. The major was caught under the horse and his right ankle was sprained by the accident, and one of his knees bruised. He, however, remounted and later rode at the head of the procession. Dr. Purvis later rendered the necessary surgical assistance.

Sent to the Chain Gang.

Among the cases before Justice Caton in the Police Court this morning was that of a young white man named George Elmore, who had been arrested by Special Officer Charles Smith charged with snatching a pocketbook from a lady in front of the Elkton Hotel yesterday afternoon. The officer witnessed the act and pursued Elmore, who ran in the front door of the Elkton and passed out of the rear. The officer followed and soon captured the fugitive. The latter resisted arrest and was knocked down twice before he allowed himself to be taken into custody. In his flight Elmore dropped the pocketbook or disposed of it in some way, as it could not be found on the prisoner when he was searched. The accused was sent to the chain gang for sixty days.

The Garside Stock Company.

The Coatsville Daily Union has the following to say regarding the J. S. Garside Stock Company, which will appear at the Opera House for a week, commencing next Monday night: "The Garside Stock Company playing at the Opera House is the best organization of its kind we ever had here and are giving the best satisfaction. The individual work of the company last night was very satisfactory. Special mention is due Miss Seymour, Mr. Garside, George Warren, Ernest Bostwick, Edward Curtiss, Dot E. Jewell, Miss Barouch and and Miss DeBarr. 'Under Two Flags' will be presented tonight and they who witness it will no doubt see a good play, splendidly acted, as the work of this company has been uniformally good and equal to the plays."

Concert.

A concert will be given next Monday evening at Confederate Veterans' Hall for the benefit of St. Paul's Church to aid in purchase of vestments for the choir. A number of leading vocalists from this city and Washington will assist.

Masonic.

As has been the custom for many years past, Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons last night celebrated the birthday of George Washington, one of the past masters of the lodge, in an appropriate manner. The usual banquet was dispensed with and other features were substituted, through refreshments were served during the evening and none went away dissatisfied. The lodge hall was crowded, many visiting Masons, including over fifty from Philadephia, being present.

After the usual formalities the Master of the lodge, Mr. L. Ruben, welcomed the visitors and stated that the lodge would received Grand Master of Masons in Virginia K. Kemper and District Deputy Grand Master R. W. Purvis, both past masters of the lodge, would also present during the evening "six past masters' jewels to the six past masters of the lodge who had not before received such jewels.

Past Master E. T. Downham, of Andrew Jackson Lodge, was then called upon to present Messrs. Kemper and Arnold, which he did in a graceful and appropriate speech.

The master then on behalf of the lodge, received Grand Master Kemper and D. D. G. M. Arnold, the former making a happy response to the greeting.

Judge J. K. M. Norton then gave a brief but interesting sketch of the lodge in presenting the six past masters' jewels and at the close of his remarks handed the jewels to Past Master W. A. Moore, sr., who was master of lodge in 1871. Judge Norton, also on behalf of Past Master W. M. Smith (who was unable to be present), presented to the master a beautiful jewel, to be the property of the lodge and worn hereafter by its masters. The master in a fitting speech accepted the jewel on behalf of the lodge. The jewel, which is a very handsome one was the Past Grand Masters jewel worn by the late F. A. Reed At the death of the latter it was presented to the late A. W. Armstrong and at his death to Dr. W. M. Smith. The latter now presents it to Alexandria-Washington Lodge to be owned by the lodge forever. The master then requested Dr. C. T. Lindsay, Past Master of Potomac Lodge, of Georgetown, to make the individual presentation of the six past masters jewels which he did in an impressive manner. Those honored were W. A. Moore, sr., A. G. Uhler, K. Kemper, J. R. Chapman, W. M. Smith and W. R. Purvis.

Lieutenant Governor J. T. Ellyson then made a speech, taking Washington as his theme, and on behalf of the lodge presented certificates of life membership to the Masonic Home at Richmond to Mr. J. S. Douglas and Dr. W. R. Purvis, who expressed their appreciation of the compliment paid them by the lodge.

The business of the lodge was then closed and a beautiful buffet lunch was served in the lodge banquet hall by the ladies of the Junior Daughters of the Mary Custis Lee Chapter U. D. C.

After all had enjoyed the refreshments D. D. G. M. Arnold stated that a representative of the lodge had been sent to Liberty Lodge of Beverly, Massachusetts, what was also celebrating Washington's birthday, and read the telegrams of fraternal greeting which had been exchanged between the two lodges.

A letter was then read from C. M. Koones, of Hot Springs, Ark., stating that he had been made a mason in this lodge fifty years ago and asking if any of the old members of the lodge, were living. The master for the information of the lodge stated that so far as he knew the only members of the lodge now living who were made masons fifty years ago were Brothers J. S. Douglas, W. A. Moore, and W. H. Lambert.

A letter of regret from Gov. Swanson was read, after which Judge C. E. Nicol was introduced and responded to the sentiment. "The Day we Celebrate." He was followed by Horace B. Douglas, of Philadelphia, on behalf of a large delegation of Philadelphia masons present.

Past Master J. E. Alexander, then spoke on behalf of Andrew Jackson Lodge and then a letter of regret from Past Master W. H. Lambert, who was visting in St. Louis, was read. Short addresses were then made by Past Master J. R. Chapman and Rev. C. E. Ball.

Shortly before midnight the festivities came to a close after a most enjoyable evening spent by the large assemblage present.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Harrie Brown, colored, arrested by Officer Knight charged with being drunk in the street, was dismissed.

Celia Keys, colored, arrested by Officers Knight and Mayhugh, charged with drunken and disorderly conduct, was sent to the work house for 90 days.

A white man, arrested by Officer Roberts and Special Officer Mullen charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed.

John Williams, colored, arrested by Officer Nicholson charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed.

A white man, arrested by Officers Mayhugh and Bell charged with disorderly conduct and drunkenness, was sent to jail for ten days.

Wm. Honorable, arrested by Officer Garvey charged with vagrancy, was dismissed.

Stephen Davis, arrested by Officers Henderson and Bell charged with threatening the life of Fannie Davis, had his case continued until next Monday.

George Elmore, arrested by Special Officer Smith charged with snatching a pocketbook from a woman on the street, was sent to the chain gang for 60 days.

A saloonkeeper, charged with selling liquor on Sunday, was dismissed.

Two white men, charged with disorderly conduct, were dismissed.

Alarms of Fire.

The alarm of fire yesterday was caused by the explosion of a gasoline stove in a house on north Pitt street.

Between 5 and 6 o'clock this morning the roof of a house occupied by Peter Shepherd, on St. Asaph street, near Oronoco, was found to be burning. An alarm was sounded and the department was soon on the ground. The flames were extinguished before much damage resulted.

The Fish Wharf.

The Corporation fish wharf will be rented at public auction by Mr. S. H. Lunt, auctioneer, in front of the Royal street entrance to the City Hall, at noon tomorrow.

THE CURTIN MURDER.

George Patterson and Stephen Davis Arrested Today on Suspicion of Being Parties to the Murder.

As had been anticipated in the Gazette, the authorities made another movement today in connection with the murder of George R Curtin on the morning of the 24th of last December.

Information has been secured which leads to the belief that the unfortunate man met his death in a house not far from the spot where he was last seen, and it is believed that evidence can be produced which will show where he was killed and how his clothing was disposed of.

A warrant was sworn out today against George Patterson, proprietor of the Tontine Hotel, who is suspected of being a party to the murder.

Chief Webster and Officer Roberts repaired to Patterson's place of business, put him under arrest and locked him up in a cell in the station house.

Later a warrant was sworn out against Stephen Davis charging him with being a party to the murder. He was subsequently arrested by Officers Jones and and Mayhugh.

While Chief Webster and Officer Roberts were engaged in searching for evidence against the parties a glass-blower named Partelle became officious and his conduct finally savored of interference with the officers, when Mr. Roberts placed him under arrest.

Musical and Reception.

The following is the programme for the musical and reception at the Church South this evening at ... clock under the auspices of the Epworth League: Anthem, "The Lord is My Light," choir; instrumental duet, "Traumeri," violin and piano, Mr. Jameson and Miss Thomas; solo, "Calvary," Miss Sara Points; recitation, "Zingarelli," Mrs. T. A. Hulfish; quartette, "Nearer My God to Thee," Misses A. and M. Vierkorn and Messrs. Wilkins and Dinwiddie; duet, "Return O Wanderer," Dr. and Mrs. Outcalt; solo, "Abide with Me," Miss M. Vierkorn; instrumental duet, "Last Rose of Summer" and "Annie Laurie," Mr. Jameson and Miss Thomas; speech of welcome, Rev. J. A. Hutchison. Reception of new members.

A Wife's Charge.

Stephen Davis was brought before Justice Caton in the Police Court this morning on complaint of his wife, Fannie Davis, who alleged that the prisoners threatened to kill her. The couple have rooms in the Braddock House. Davis secured Mr. C. C. Carlin as counsel, and, at the latter's request, the case was continued until next Monday morning. The accused was released to appear at that time, his counsel becoming his surety. He was, however, subsequently re-arrested on suspicion of being a party to the murder of George R. Curtin.

Funerals.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Florence Macfarland took place from the residence on Commerce street this morning. The services were conducted by Rev. J. P. Stump.

The funeral of the late Joseph W. Wells took place this afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. P. P. Phillips and the pallbearers were Messrs. S. W. Lloyd, W. T. Lloyd, J. L. Lloyd, O. H. Daniels, E. Wells and C. Wells, all nephews of the deceased.

Personal.

The Junior Card Club will be entertained by Miss Fannie Washington and Miss Mary Dent at the latter's residence, 418 north Washington street, tonight.

Rev. C. E. Ball, now of Mt. Savage, Md., was in the city yesterday and was warmly greeted by his many friends.

Grand Master of Masons Kemper today received a telegram of congratulation from the Grand Master of Massachusetts

Arguments Heard.

Judge Nicol, of the Circuit Court, today heard arguments on the motion to dissolve the injunction in the case of J. P. Agnew & Co. vs. the Jackson-Phillips Brick Co. The case was in progress when this report closed.

Basketball.

The Alexandria Athletic Club will play the strong U. and I. Fraternity team, of Washington, tonight at the armory. The game will be called at 8:30 o'clock. As the U. and I. team has not lost a game the one tonight should be hotly contested by the Athletics, and a good game is promised all who attend. The line up of the Alexandria team will be Dobson, Gray, Green, Biggs, Duffy, Tomlin and Scrivener.

Government Contract.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The frost of this morning was regarded as the heaviest of the winter.

John Whitlock, a brakeman on the Southern Railway, had one of his hands badly mashed today. He was attended by the company's physician.

The United States dispatch steamer Dolphin, which had been lying off this city since Wednesday, left this morning for Washington.

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Gold headed cane—Jos. F. Glover 39, H. Robinson 5.

Gold headed umbrella—G. Sullivan 24, H. L. Minton 5.

R. R. gold watch—T. Spicer 60.

Gents' gold watch—T. T. Johnson 46, N. Cary 5.

I. O. O. F. ring—F. Bartlett 8, H Henderson 20.

Red Men's ring—Y. C. Minton 25.

F. O. E. ring—Oscar Haws 12, Thos. Chauncey 5.

Ladies' diamond ring—Miss M. Jefferson 14.

Gents' dismond ring—J. Entwisle 12, L. Sullivan 36, F. T. Smith 3

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MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the WOODLEY APARTMENT HOUSE CO. will be held at No. 126 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., MONDAY AFTERNOON, February 26th, at 2 o'clock. W. W. W. PARKER, Secretary.
feb12 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the N. AUTH PROVISION CO., for the election of a board of directors and other business, will be held at the office of J. K. M. Norton, Alexandria, Virginia, on THURSDAY, March 8, 1906, at 3 o'clock p. m. Transfer books will be closed ten days prior to this meeting.
N. AUTH, President.
GEO. W. FIROR, Secretary.
feb16 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the COLUMBIA THEATRE COMPANY for the election of a board of directors for the year 1906 and any other business that may come before the meeting will be held at the company's office, 128 south Fairfax street, this city, on MONDAY, March 5, 1906, at 4 p. m.
feb17 td J. WHIT HERRON, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the UNITED PUBLISHING COMPANY for the election of a board of directors for the year 1906 and any other business that may come before the meeting will be held at the company's office, 128 south Fairfax street, this city, on MONDAY, March 5, 1906, at 4 p. m.
jan17 td JOHN J. WALSH, Secretary.

Alexandria, Va., Feb. 19, 1906.
THE UNDERSIGNED, holder of more than one-tenth of the capital stock of the VIRGINIA TITLE COMPANY, hereby calls a special meeting of the stockholders of said company to be held at No. 119 south Fairfax street (Harlow Building), Alexandria, Virginia, at 4:30 p. m., on TUESDAY, the 6th day of March, A. D. 1906. The object of this meeting is to consider and vote upon a proposition to dispose of the entire assets of the company and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.
feb19 2w D. J. HOWELL.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the JULIUS LANSBURGH FURNITURE & CARPET COMPANY will be held at the Hotel Fleischmann, Alexandria, Va., on WEDNESDAY, February 28, 1906, at 8:30 p. m., for the election of officers and any other business which may properly come before it. IRVIN H. HOLLANDER,
feb15 1aw3w Secretary and Treasurer.

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AUCTION SALES.

FISH WHARF FOR RENT BY AUCTION

At 12 o'clock m., on Saturday, February 24, 1906, in front of the Market Building, on Royal street, the
CORPORATION FISH WHARF
will be rented for the ensuing twelve months. The rentor will be required to furnish material for and lay platform sufficient to accommodate the trade. All passways must be kept open free from obstruction. The rentor to erect no building within a less distance than 70 feet from the south front. No privilege for the sale of liquors will be granted inconsistent with the laws of the city on the subject.

The rentor will be required to move the offal within 48 hours, and none of it shall be thrown into the river.

Possession will be given on the 1st of March, 1906.

No bids will be considered unless the bidders shall be known or vouched for to the auctioneer as responsible.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

All articles landed on the wharf for the use of the city to be free from wharfage.

Terms: Cash, payable immediately after the sale.

By order of the joint Committee on Public Property. WM. H. HELLMUTH,
feb19 5t Chairman.

FISH BENCHES FOR RENT.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held Thursday, February 1, 1906, all of the benches in that part of the City Market set apart for the sale of fish at retail will be rented for one year from March 1, 1906. The annual rental of each bench is $60 per annum, and such premiums as bidders may offer for choice. The space allotted for each bench will be explained upon application to L. D. Lyles, Market Master, and the privilege of selling fish in this space is subject to corporation laws. Bids will be received, addressed to Fred. J. Paff, Mayor, until Wednesday, February 28, 1906, at 12 m. Such bids must be accompanied by a certified check for ten (10) dollars or cash to that amount, and must state the premium for first, second and third choice. Should any additional space be desired or used a rental of $5 per bench a month, or any portion of a month, will be charged. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved, and the terms are cash, to be paid to the clerk of the market not later than Saturday, March 3, 1906. By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.
LAMBERT D. LYLES,
feb19 7t Clerk of Market.

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Barge Geo. B. Roberts
just arrived with 400 tons Best Lee Coal which fills a most important place in the essentials of a fine Holiday dinner, as your cook will fail if the fire is not right. It will be right, however, if you buy the coal of us. Our coal is the best for any kind of cooking. It gives jus the right fire always.

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Schedule in Effect Nov. 1, 1905.
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LEAVE WASHINGTON, D. C.—6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30: 10:30, 11:30 a. m., 12:30, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30 p. m.
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FAT MACKEREL for sale at 5c, 10c, and 20c each by J. C. MILBURN.

Alexandria Gazette.
FRIDAY EVENING, FEB. 23, 1906.

Gov. Swanson's Staff.
It was announced in Richmond last night that Joseph A. Lawless, of Norfolk, will be appointed a member of Gov. Swanson's staff. Those formerly named in connection with the positions on the staff are: Capt Cunningham Hall, of Richmond, chief of staff; Leonard O. Pettit, of Wise county; William Wait, of Culpeper; Thomas B. McAdams, of Richmond; T. S. Reid, of Chatham; Pannill Rucker, of Martinsburg, and Dr. R. N. Harper, of Loudoun.

The New Cough Syrup—the one that acts as a mild cathartic on the bowels—is Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar. It expels all cold from the system, cuts the phlegm out of the throat, strengthens the mucous membranes of the bronchial tubes, and relieves croup, whooping cough, etc. Children love it. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

Anxious Ice Operators.
Saratoga, N. Y., Feb. 23.—The continued February thaw and the fact that less than fifty per cent. of the ice required has been cut and housed, causes ice operators much anxiety. The recent heavy snowfall has been converted into surface waters, which submerged most of the ice fields to the depth of over one foot and compelled a general cessation of all ice cutting operations. Lumber interests are also badly affected by the unseasonable weather. The mercury marked 30 degrees at daybreak.

The End of The World
of troubles that robbed E. H. Wolfe, of Bear Grove, Ia., of all usefulness, came when he began taking Electric Bitters. He writes: "Two years ago Kidney trouble caused me great suffering, which I would never have survived had I not taken Electric Bitters. They also cured me of General Debility." Sure cure for all Stomach, Liver and Kidney Complaints, Blood diseases, Headache, Dizziness and Weakness or bodily decline. Price 50c. Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store.

Receive a Setback.
Manchester, England, February 23.—The Guardian says that the English military plans in northwest India have received a serious setback owing to the hostile attitude of the natives. The construction of the new stragetical railway in the neighborhood of Peshawar, Khyber Pass, to which General Kitchener attached the greatest importance, has been suspended

Startling But True.
People the world over were horrified on learning of the burning of a Chicago theater in which nearly six hundred people lost their lives, yet more than five times this number, or over 3,000 people died from pneumonia in Chicago during the same year, with scarcely a passing notice. Every one of these cases of pneumonia resulted from a cold and could have been prevented by the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. A great many who had every reason to fear pneumonia have warded it off by the prompt use of this remedy. The following is an instance of this sort; "Too much cannot be said in favor of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and especially for colds and influenza. I know that it cured my daughter, Laura, of a severe cold, and I believe saved her life when she was threatened with pneumonia," W. D. WILCOX, Logan, New York. Sold by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

The soothing spray of Ely's Liquid Cream Balm, used in an automizer, is an unspeakable relief to sufferers from Catarrh. Some of them describe it as a Godsend, and no wonder. The thick, foul discharge is dislodged and the patient breathes freely, perhaps for the first time in weeks. Liquid Cream Balm contains all the healing, purifying elements of the solid form, and it never fails to cure. Sold by all druggists for 75c, including spraying tube, or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren street, New York.

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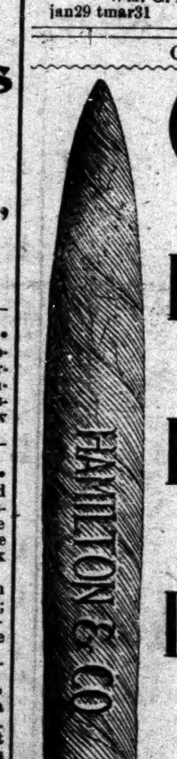

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HOSPITALS CROWDED
MAJORITY OF PATIENTS WOMEN
Mrs. Pinkham's Advice Saves Many From this Sad and Costly Experience.

It is a sad but certain fact that every year brings an increase in the number of operations performed upon women in our hospitals. More than three-fourths of the patients lying on those snow-white beds are women and girls who are awaiting or recovering from operations made necessary by neglect.

Every one of these patients had plenty of warning in that bearing down feeling, pain at the left or right of the abdomen, nervous exhaustion, pain in the small of the back, pelvic catarrh, dizziness, flatulency, displacements or irregularities. All of these symptoms are indications of an unhealthy condition of the female organs, and if not heeded the trouble may make headway until the penalty has to be paid by a dangerous operation, and a lifetime of impaired usefulness at best, while in many cases the results are fatal.

Miss Luella Adams, of Seattle, Wash., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"About two years ago I was a great sufferer from a severe female trouble, pains and headaches. The doctor prescribed for me and finally told me that I had a tumor and must undergo an operation if I wanted to get well. I felt that this was my death warrant, but I spent hundreds of dollars for medical help, but the tumor kept growing. Fortunately I corresponded with an aunt in the New England States, and she advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as it was said to cure tumors. I did so and immediately began to improve in health, and I was entirely cured, the tumor disappearing entirely, without an operation. I wish every suffering woman would try this great preparation."

Just as surely as Miss Adams was cured of the troubles enumerated in her letter, just so surely will Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cure other women who suffer from female troubles, inflammation, kidney troubles, nervous excitability or nervous prostration.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all young women who are ill to write her for free advice. She is daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham and for twenty-five years has been advising sick women free of charge. Address, Lynn, Mass.

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William H. Peck,
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4 pounds of large meaty Prunes.... 25c
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All of these goods are a genuine bargain and you will probably pay 10 cents more a single article elsewhere. Will assort the deal if you like.

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AUCTION SALES.

By M. B. Harlow & Co., Auctioneers.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Under and by virtue of a power and authority vested in me by the last will and testament of the late Mrs Frances P. Smoot, I will offer for sale at public auction in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on
MONDAY,
the twenty-sixth day of February, 1906, at the hour of twelve o'clock meridian, the following described real estate;

1. All that certain lot of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon, situate on the south side of Prince street, between Alfred and Patrick streets, in the said city of Alexandria, and described as follows: Beginning on the south side of Prince street 40 feet west of Alfred street, and running thence west on Prince street 20 feet; thence south parallel to Alfred street 90 feet to an alley; thence east on said alley and parallel to Prince street 20 feet, and thence north parallel to Alfred street to Prince street and the point of beginning, with the right of way over and use of said alley and all other appurtenances to the said lot of ground belonging.

2. Lots numbers 2 and 3 in block 69, according to the ground plan and plat of Colonial Beach, a map of which is deposited in the Clerk's Office of the county of Westmoreland, in the State of Virginia. These lots are improved by a commodious frame dwelling house, kitchen and stable. This property, located at Colonial Beach, a favorite summer resort on salt water, is admirably adapted for use as a summer residence.

3. The following described lot of land, situate in West End, Fairfax county, Va., adjacent to the city of Alexandria, and improved by a brick dwelling and frame barn or stable, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: All that tract of land with the buildings thereon, situate, lying and being in the county of Fairfax, State of Virginia, near the lower gate on the Little River Turnpike road and bounded and described on plat and survey made by George Gilpin in August, 1812, and annexed to the deed from Joseph Fullmore to Elizabeth C. Hart, dated October 5, 1812, and recorded in Liber M, No. 2, folio 79, as follows: Beginning at E on said plat, a stone on the north side of the Little River Turnpike road and the westerly corner of said lot, and running thence north 11 degrees, east 21 poles, 10 links to B, a stake; thence south 79 degrees, east 9 poles to G, a corner of this lot and the one conveyed to John S. Fullmore; thence with the dividing line between said lots south 11 degrees, west 21½ poles (crossing the center of a well) to H, the said turnpike road; thence westwardly with said turnpike road to the beginning, containing 1 acre and 30 poles, be the same more or less. Being the same property which was conveyed to the said Frances P. Smoot by K. Kemper, Special Commissioner, by deed dated February 25, 1895, and recorded amongst the land records of said Fairfax county, in Liber Y, No. 5, folio 139.

4. All that lot of land, situate in the said city of Alexandria, State of Virginia, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning on the west side of St. Asaph street 24 feet 7 inches south of the intersection of that street with the south side of Madison street, and running thence south on St. Asaph street 19 feet; thence west parallel to Madison street 90 feet to a 10 feet alley; thence north with said alley and parallel to St. Asaph street 19 feet, and thence east 90 feet in a straight line to the beginning, with the right of way over said alley in common with others entitled thereto; together with all appurtenances to said lot of land belonging being the said lots of land which was conveyed to the said Frances P. Smoot by Lawrence Washington and wife by deed bearing date on the twentieth day of November, 1895, duly of record amongst the land records of said city in deed book No. 34, page 436.

5. Also two lots of land in the town of Buena Vista, in the county of Rockbridge and State of Virginia, designated on the plat of sub-division of the Buena Vista Company's lands into lots (which plat is of record in the County Clerk's office of said Rockbridge county, in deed book No. 53, page 332), as follows: Lot No. 7 in block No. 46, in section No. 4, fronting on Holly avenue, which said lot has a front of 50 feet, and extends back 125 feet to a public alley in the rear, being uniform both in length and width. Lot No. 7 in block No. 52 in section No. 5, fronting on Walnut avenue, which said lot has a front of 50 feet, and extends back 125 feet to a public alley in its rear, being uniform both in length and width.

Also the following described personal property:
1. One carriage.
2. One surrey.
3. One horse.
4. One set single harness.

Terms of Sale: Cash for the personal property, and as to the real estate, ⅓ of the purchase money to be paid in cash and the residue in two equal installments at six and twelve months respectively from the day of sale, the deferred payments to be evidenced by the negotiable notes of the purchaser, bearing interest at the rate of six per centum per annum until paid, the title to the property to be retained until the payment of the purchase money, principal and interest. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

Further information relative to the property can be obtained upon application to Francis L. Smith, Attorney at Law, 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Virginia.
W. STROTHER JONES,
Executor Frances P. Smoot, deceased.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE—Having qualified as executor upon the estate of ELLEN BUTTIMORE, deceased, this is to notify all persons indebted to said estate to pay their indebtedness to me, and all persons holding claims against said estate to present the same to me properly certified for payment.
feb12 1t M. A. AHERN, Executor.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, Department of the State Corporation Commission.
This is to certify, That the charter of THE MARINE RAILWAY, SHIPBUILDING & COAL CO. changed to THE MARINE RAILWAY & COAL COMPANY, INC., was amended on the 20th day of January, 1906, reducing its maximum capital stock from Three Hundred Thousand Dollars to Fifty Thousand Dollars; and that the said amended charter was recorded in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth on the 20th day of January, 1906.
Witness my hand as Clerk of the State Corporation Commission this eighth day of February, 1906. JOHN A. UPSHUR,
feb13 w3w-m Clerk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Having qualified as administrator upon the estate of SARAH A DAVIS, deceased this is to notify all persons indebted to said estate to pay their indebtedness to me, and all persons holding claims against said estate to present the same to me properly certified for payment.
R. H. COX, Sergeant, Administrator.
feb12 10t

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name of FAIRFAX & COMPANY, is this day dissolved. M. S. Fairfax has purchased the interest of H. G Williams & Company in said business and has assumed all the debts of said partnership.
H. G. WILLIAMS & COMPANY,
feb9 1t MILTON S. FAIRFAX.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Having qualified as administrator upon the estate of Thomas Spinks, deceased, this is to notify all persons indebted to said estate to pay their indebtedness to me, and all persons holding claims against said estate to present the same to me properly certified for payment. FRANK C. SPINKS, JR.,
feb21 10t Administrator.

VIRGINIA. In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 9th day of February, 1906.
David M. Newbold, jr., vs. Capital City Telephone Company, of Alexandria, Va., and Central Trust Company of Maryland, Trustee. In Chancery.
Memo. The object of this suit is to subject all the property of the defendant company to the payment of its debts, wheresoever the same may be situated, and particularly to the payment of certain bonds issued by it and the interest thereon and secured by mortgage or trust executed by it to the Central Trust Company of Maryland, Trustee, said instrument bearing date on the 31st day of May, 1902, it being intended that this shall be a general creditor's suit, as well as to compel the payment of said bonds and interest held by the complainant and any others; also that a receiver may be appointed to take over all of the assets of the defendant company, and that it may be wound up, and its funds disposed of amongst its different creditors in accordance with their respective priorities.
It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, the Central Trust Company of Maryland, Trustee, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect its interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.
A copy—Teste:
CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.
Robinson Moncure and Norton & Boothe p. q.
feb9 w4w-th

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of Alexandria, on the 24th day of January, 1906.
Walker G. Miller vs. Clinton R. Miller } In Chancery.
Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree absolutely divorcing the plaintiff, Walker G. Miller, from the defendant, Clinton R. Miller, and for general relief.
It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Clinton R. Miller, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House in this city.
A copy—Teste:
CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
Norton & Boothe, p. q. jan24 w4w-w

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 6th day of February, 1906.
Eva G. Devine vs. James Devine, } In Chancery.
Memo. The object of the above entitled cause is to obtain a decree absolutely divorcing the complainant from the defendant, and for general relief.
It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, James Devine, is a non resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.
A copy—TESTE.
CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.
BY NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
Norton & Boothe, p. q.
feb6 w4w-tu

VIRGINIA. In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 13th day of February, 1906.
Ethel E. Chadwick vs. Ferdinand G. Chadwick } In Chancery.
Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii and for general relief.
It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Ferdinand G. Chadwick, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.
A copy—Teste:
CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk,
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
Carrington, Lipscomb and Ellison p. q.
feb13 w4w-tu

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In order to make room for an extensive stock of Spring and Summer Woolens we will close out our entire line of FALL AND WINTER STOCK below cost.
Suits that were $25 to $28 now $18. Suits that were $30 to $35 now $20 to $25. Top Coats that were $25 to $28 now $20. Trousers, $5 up. Fancy Vests, $3.75 up.
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RAILROADS

SOUTHERN RAILWAY
Schedule effective February 11, 1906.
Trains leave Southern Railway Station Alexandria:
7:52 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg Warrenton, Danville and way stations.
11:08 A. M.—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Parlor cars week days Washington to Pinehurst. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.
11:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.
4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch
5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.
7:11 P. M.—Week Days—Southern's Palm Limited. Solid Pullman train, electric lighted. Through sleepers to Aiken, Augusta, Savannah, Jacksonville and St. Augustine. Club and observation cars. Southern Railway dining car service.
7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.
10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville. Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa. Dining car service a la carte.
10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service.
11:02 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Southwestern Limited. All Pullman train, club car to Atlanta, observation cars to Atlanta, Macon Sleepers to Nashville, Atlanta, Macon, Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service
Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 6:19, 9:35, 9 33, 9:57 (except Mondays) and 11.48 A. M. and 2:43, 9:13 and 9:33 P. M. daily. From Harrisonburg 11:38 A. M. week days and 9:03 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M. and from Lynchburg 9:03 P. M. daily.

TRAINS ON BLUEMONT BRANCH.
Leave Alexandria 8:21 A. M., 1:40, and 4:51 P. M. week days for Bluemont; 6:37 P. M. for Leesburg; 9:20 A. M. and 4:51 P. M on Sundays only for Bluemont.
For detailed schedule figures, tickets, Pullman reservation, etc., apply to WILLIAM G LEHEW, ticket agent, Alexandria, Va.
H. B. SPENCER, General Manager.
S. H. HARDWICK, Pass. Traf. Mgr.
W. H. TAYLOE, Gen. Passenger Agent.
L. S. BROWN, General Agent.
Washington, D. C.

Washington Southern Ry
Schedule in effect Jan. 8, 1906.
Trains leave station western end of Prince street for Washington and points north at 8 01 and 9 38 a. m., 12 21, 2 53, 7 07, 8 18, and 11 33 p. m., week days.
Sundays—9 38 a. m., 12 21, 7 07, 8 18 and 11 33 p. m.
For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 48, 7 57 (local), and 11 05 a. m 4:00, 5 07 (local), and 7 41 p. m., week days.
Sundays—4 48 and 11 05 a. m., 4 00, 5 07 (local), and 7 41 p. m.
Accommodation for Quantico 7 57 a. m. Sundays only, 4 42 p. m. week days and 8 33 p m. except Saturdays.
NOTE:—Time of arrivals and departures and connections not guaranteed.
W. D. DUKE, C. W. CULP, W. P. TAYLOR
Ass't to Pres't. Gen'l Supt. Traf. Mgr.

Washington, Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway.
In effect November 1, 1905

LEAVE ALEXANDRIA.
For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days, at 5 45, 6 10x, 6 20, 6 35x, 6 45, 7 00x, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 50x, 8 00, 8 15x, 8 20, 8 30, 9 0, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 00, 11 15 and 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 12 45, 1 00, 1 20, 1 45, 2 10, 2 45, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4 10, 4 35, 4 50x 5 10, 5 20, 5 35, 5 45, 6 00, 6 10, 6 30, 6 55, 7 15, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.
Saturdays only, 6 45x, 8 15x and 10 10x p. m
Sundays—7 00, 8 10, 8 15, 9 00, 9 30, 10 10 10 45, 11 15 and 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 20, 8 40, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30 and 11 10 p. m.

LEAVE WASHINGTON.
For Alexandria, from the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 12th street, week days, 6 20 6 45x, 6 55, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 45x, 7 55, 8 25 8 50, 9 10, 9 40, 10 00, 10 05x, 10 30, 11 00 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 15, 12 35, 1 00, 1 25 1 55, 2 00x, 2 30, 3 10, 3 30, 4 00, 4 15, 4 35x 4 40, 4 55x, 5 05, 5 15x, 5 25, 5 45x, 6 00, 6 15x 6 30, 6 45x, 7 00, 7 10, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10, 11 50 p. m. and 12 30 a. m.
Saturdays only, 7 30x, 9 00x and 11 00x p. m
Sundays—7 35, 8 45, 9 00, 9 35, 10 10, 10 40 11 00, 1 30 a. m., 12 00 noon, 12 30, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m

FOR MOUNT VERNON.
Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 32, 10 32, 11 32 a. m., 12 32, 1 32 2 32, 3 32, 4 47, 5 40, 7 05 and 9 05 p. m
Sundays—7 00, 9 32, 10 41, 11 40 a. m., 12 40, 1 40, 2 40 3 40, 4 40, 4 47, 7 05, 9 05 and 10 25 p. m.

FOR ARLINGTON.
Leave Alexandria 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 15, 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 1 1 45, 2 10, 2 40, 3 00, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 6 30, 6 55, 7 50 p. m.
Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15, 11 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 5 00, 5 40, 6 20, 7 00 and 7 40 p. m.

FOR ROSSLYN
Leave Alexandria for Rosslyn, week days 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00, 10 00, 10 25, 11 40 a. m., 1 00, 2 45, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55 and 7 50 p. m.
Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 11 15 a. m., 12 15, 1 20, 2 20, 3 20, 4 20, 5 40, 7 00 and 7 40 p. m.
Baggage checked and carried on the following trains from Alexandria for Washington week days: 8 30 and 10 25 a. m., 1 00, 3 00 and 6 10 p. m.
Sundays—8 15 a. m. and 6 20 p. m.
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